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USING A DLL-CONTROLLED, MULTI-  
STAGE DELAY CHAIN

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AMENDMENT AND STATEMENT OF  
SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEWS

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this  
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**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 6 of this paper and include attached replacement  
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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.